TOWN AND COUNTY.

RASPBERRIES made their appearance in market yesterday.

WHEAT HARVEST will begin the latter part of this week.

AN EXCURSION TO CAPE MAY is in contemplation by the Odd Fellows of Chestertown.

STRAWBERRIES are getting scarce, and a few days more will wind up the crop.—They sold on Saturday at 7 and 8 cents a quart.

THE FLYING HORSES, yesterday, as on a former occasion, drew a crowd, and the proprietor no doubt realized a handsome sum.

BUTTER was not plentiful last Saturday, and, in consequence, the price advanced a little. It sold from 12½ to 15 cts. a pound.

JOSEPH PETERSON, ESQ., entered upon the discharge of his duties as cashier of the Kent National Bank of Chestertown, yesterday morning.

THE growing corn in some sections of the county has been attacked by the grub worm. This is particularly the case we learn, in low lands and bottoms.

FINE PHOTOGRAPHIC VIEWS of the Voshell House fire, taken by Nicolsson & Edwards, can be obtained of Mr. John C. Ruth, of this town, who is selling them as agent.

THE steamer *Pilot Boy*, on Sunday last brought an excursion party, numbering about four hundred, from Baltimore city to Tolchester Beach, where they spent the day.

EXCURSION FROM THE CITY.—The steamer Columbia is advertised in the *Sun* to make an excursion from Baltimore to Chestertown, to-morrow, leaving the city at 8 o'clock, A. M.

THE TAGGART.—The steamer Sarah K. Taggart, that last summer ran on the route from Baltimore to Tolchester, has returned to Delaware waters and is now running on Delaware river and bay.

PROGRESSING.—Shoe blacks now daily perambulate our streets, and in plying their vocation are not slow imitators of the cries and practices, in pushing trade, made use of by veteran city "shiners."

THE heavy rain Saturday made it very uncomfortable at the Voshell House; but notwithstanding, the Colonel still "holds the fort," and we learn his boarders have manfully determined to stand by him and suffer the inconvenience.

NOT SOLD.—The Ford or Urie Hill Top farm, offered at the Voshell House on Tuesday last by Wm. Ford, agent, and the Lusby farms in Quaker Neck, offered by R. Hynson, attorney, were not sold, and are now held at private sale.

FINE FARMS AT PRIVATE SALE.—R. Hynson, Esq., attorney for Mrs. Hynson, Executrix of T. W. Hynson, advertises in the *Transcript*, this morning, two fine farms at private sale. This land is very desirable and is offered on liberal terms. Read the advertisement on second page.

CANNING HOUSE.—Parties from Baltimore have erected a canning house of a temporary character, on the lot next the railroad depot. Every enterprise that gives work to the unemployed is a great benefit to the community, and we hope those having the undertaking in hand may be abundantly successful.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.—A few days ago Hon. J. A. J. Creswell, Colonel S. M. Bowman, Hon. George C. Maund, Gen'l. Adam King, James Wood, Esq., and other old personal and political friends of Col. Edw. Wilkins, paid him a visit at "Riverside," and enjoyed the hospitalities the Colonel so well knows how to dispense.

ATTENTION.—Among other new advertisements in to-day's paper will be found that of Mr. J. B. Sappington, one of our well known and enterprising business men, whose reputation as a merchant is deservedly popular. Like all other *live* men he is making use of every legitimate means to bring his business still more prominently before the public.

THE RAIN LAST SATURDAY put a damper on things generally, preventing many of our country friends from getting to town, and sadly interfering with the arrangements of the colored people, whose celebration of the Whitsuntide holidays always commences Saturday afternoon. In fact, wet and disagreeable weather on Saturdays considerably curtails sales in almost every branch of business.

J. G. HUDGINS, in a number of places in this issue, calls the attention of the readers of the *Transcript* to his establishment for the sale of all kinds of groceries, produce, &c. His stock is well selected and complete. Housekeepers are invited to give him a call, examine his stock, and learn his prices—that is all he asks—feeling confident they will then find it to their interest to buy.

ONE of the most extensive Nurseries is now being grown by N. BARNARD, of Still Pond, comprising over 200,000 Peach trees and of other Nursery stock. We understand he will commence budding 15th of June, and is now taking orders before budding commences. This is the true plan, as planters can order just the varieties they wish, finding their own buds, if they wish. *

AN OLD NEWSPAPER.—A copy of an old newspaper, called "The People's Monitor," bearing date May 27, 1815, was shown us one day last week. It was published at Easton, Md., by Nicholas Rowlenson, at $2.50 a year. The impression was very fair, though the paper was not good, being rather coarse and rough. It would be considered very inferior at the present time; but the publisher evidently thought it first-class, for in his terms of subscription he states that the Monitor is printed on super royal paper.

A PHOTOGRAPH was taken while the fire was in progress at the Voshell House, and the picture is a good one, giving a fine view of the building and the busy workers on the ladders and roofs. Messrs. Nicolsson & Edwards, the artists, worked energetically and effectively until the fire was under control They have turned out some excellent pictures, and spare no pains to give satisfaction.

"WHERE IS THE FIRE?" said a guest at the Voshell House, as he threw up the sash and poked his head out of the window of his room. "Where is the fire—why right in the hotel where you are?" answered a citizen who was shouting the alarm in the street. In about one minute said anxious inquirer, in a partially clothed condition, made his exit from the building.

IT WILL BE IN ORDER, for a few days at least, to discuss the propriety of procuring additional fire apparatus, hose, ladders, buckets, &c., and forming an organization in order to more effectually and systematically combat the devouring element when a fire breaks out in our midst. But, as has been the case for years, the effervescence will soon subside, to be renewed again when another such occasion causes it burst forth in fr t'.

HONOR TO THE BOYS.—We noticed with pleasure, the very active part taken by the boys at the fire Friday morning. Even the smallest were as busy as bees, and wherever a bucket was to be had, two or three eager hands were ready to grasp it and hurry off for water. They were very useful, and their efforts contributed in no small degree toward extinguishing the flames. All honor, then, say we, to the boys: their noble conduct presented a strong contrast to many of their seniors who seemed to have turned out merely as spectators.

THE PEACH CROP.—We regret to say that within the last ten days a great change in the prospect for a crop of peaches in Kent county, this season, has taken place. We are told that the young fruit has fallen from the trees to such an extent as to leave some orchards, that a few days were promising, almost bare. The complaint is a general one; some growers think that the peach crop with us will be almost a total failure. We hope the prospect is not so gloomy as is generally represented; but all the information we can get at present is of a most unfavorable character. However, we hope that it will be found not so bad after all, as is now feared.

AT A TIME when every one seemed to look upon any attempt to stay the flames which were consuming the Voshell House as hopeless labor, and were only intent on saving the furniture and effects, a gentleman, (whose name we forbear mentioning because it would be a wound to his nobly generous and sensitive feelings,) was not satisfied that the fine structure should be given over to destruction without a strenuous effort to avert its fate, succeeded in inspiring others with a like spirit; they went to work with a will, and succeeded in accomplishing what was seemingly a hopeless task. But for the determination of this gallant gentleman, and those who nobly and promptly rallied to his support the fine edifice would have been a heap of ruins in a short time.

STEAMBOAT TRAVEL.—As there is a misunderstanding in some parts of the county in reference to the days on which the FORD stops at Gray's Inn Creek, to prevent possible inconvenience to the traveling community thereby, we are requested by Capt. McConner to state that the boat stops at Gray's Inn Creek wharf, going to Baltimore, *Mondays* and *Fridays*, and on the return trips to Chester river calls at Gray's Inn *Tuesday* and *Saturday* afternoons.

The Chester River Company, it is conceded by all, leave nothing within their power undone to fully meet the wants and convenience of their patrons. Swift, safe and comfortable boats, with experienced and polite officers, combined with the utmost attention to all, renders traveling by this line very pleasant.

EXCURSION.—The splendid steamer B. S. FORD having been chartered by some of our enterprising young men, will make an excursion from this town next Thursday evening. The boat leaves her wharf at half past six, after the business and labors of the day are over, and thus affords a season for relaxation and enjoyment on the part of those who have toiling at their desks, behind their counters, in the workshops or out in the fields, and whose tired frames need just such a stimulus as is afforded by the cool, refreshing breeze from the broad waters of the majestic old Chester. And the tired mothers also worn down with their multifarious household duties, should, and no doubt will, as far as convenient, avail themselves of this opportunity for healthful and rational enjoyment. Of course, the belles and beaux will not fail to go; in fact, all who can do so should, by all means, avail themselves of a trip which presents so much of enjoyment, and at the same time enterfers with no one's daily business pursuits. See advertisement in another column.

THE ENTERTAINMENT of the Bridge Hill Socials, embracing pupils of Miss Flora Crane's school and young folks of the town generally, took place at the Hall, Saturday, and occupied the whole of the day and evening. The intention was to have had it in the woods, but the inclemency of the weather prevented. It was, we learn, a most pleasant affair. We endeavored to get information sufficient for an extended notice, but were unable to do so. Possibly a full account may be given next week.

THE Strawberry Festival Season draweth to a close.

THE VOSHELL HOUSE, we are pleased to announce, will, in a short time be in better condition than before the fire. Mr. Deming, representing the Peabody and National Companies, in which the building was insured, came from Baltimore on Saturday and made a survey and estimate of the damages. He also had consultations with two of our leading builders in reference thereto, though he did not make a contract for the work with either of them. He went to the city yesterday with the expressed intention of returning to-morrow, at which time he will be able to make arrangements to have the work commenced. It is sincerely hoped that no unnecessary delay will be allowed to interfere with the prompt commencement of the job at the very earliest day.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE.—R. Hynson, Esq., attorney for the executors and trustees, sold at Kennedville on Thursday the following property belonging to the estate of the late John Kennedy; The Roeder farm, containing 339 acres, 2 roods and 10 perches, to N. D. Cartwright, of Pa., at $65 per acre. The store house and dwelling at the corner of the Stage and Cochran road in Kennedyville, to T. E. Hayes for $2,000.—Brick dwelling in do. to Jos. H. Hossenger for $1,285. Frame dwelling in do. to Jno. G. Miers for $500.

George Vickers, Esq., attorney for mortgagee, sold on Tuesday the farm in Worton, in the tendency of F. Nickle, containing about 57 acres, to Hyland P. Smith, for $23 per acre.

AFRAID OF DELAWARE.—Sunday afternoon one of the employees of the railroad found a deeply colored gentleman of the African persuasion asleep in one of the freight cars at the depot, and, closing the door locked him in; but in doing so the noise awoke Cuffe, who at once took in the situation and begged hard to be let out. "Boss," said he, "I've got a wife and children, and they won't know what's become of me. Dey'll be dreadful sceered if I don't git home dis ebenin." Seeing that the old darkey was really frightened the door was opened and he was released with an admonition not to do so any more. "'Deed I won't, boss," said Cuffe, "I was monsus oneasy—I was afraid you was gwine to take me to Delawur."

THE CONCERT.—Mrs. Lake's finest concert effort, came off, at the Town Hall, last Thursday evening; and indeed it proved to be unquestionably the finest affair of the kind ever given in Chestertown.

The opening chorus, "Away, away, the morning freshly breaking," from Massaniello, was very fine, and duly appreciated; but not until Miss MARSTON made her appearance in the "Nightingale's Trill," was the audience fairly taken by storm. The song is a most difficult one; being, as its name indicates, one continuous trill, and very seldom attempted by an amateur; but difficult as it was her effort was never excelled save by a few celebrated professionals. At each succeeding appearance she was greeted with a burst of applause, showing how thoroughly her splendid execution was appreciated. Next in order was "Speed Away," a quartette for male voices, which was very finely rendered by the Messrs. Bordley, Mr. Lucas and Mr. Biscoe. Next came the "Quaker Courtship," a duett, by Miss MAME HAZZARD and Mr. J. W. BORDLEY, which was finely sustained by both parties, and only excelled during the course of the evening, in the comic line, by "Mr. and Mrs. Snibbs," sung by the same parties, in a most laughable manner. The finest duett, however, was sung by Miss MARSTON, soprano, and Miss HAZZARD, alto; both ladies possessing exquisite voices the effect was charming. There were three solos which we must not fail to mention. "Twenty Years Ago," by Mr. LUCAS, called forth such applause that he was compelled to appear again; "Valley of Chamouni," by Miss LOULIE HARRIS, and last, but not least, "The Old Sexton," by Mr. J. W. BORDLEY. The "Gipsy Chorus," an operatic extract, was sung in costume and repeatedly encored. The whole concluded with a most laughable chorus entitled "Cousin Jedediah." This was decidedly the most amusing feature of the evening and elicited burst after burst of applause and laughter. Every character was most admirably sustained, particularly by the Old Lady (Miss Dollie Davis) and Jacob, (Mr. J. W. Bordley). Taken as a whole it was by far the most delightful concert ever given in our town, and reflects great credit upon Mrs. Lake, who, however, has already won for herself a most enviable reputation for successful concerts. The orchestral music, also, was most excellent, and was highly appreciated by the large and select audience.

The concert netted about $50, and was applied to the benefit of the Sunday School at Bond Chapel M. E. Church. Capt. R. S. Emory, the efficient Superintendent of the school, had not only made every necessary arrangement for the occasion, but was indefatigable in his efforts to secure the comfort of the large audience in attendance. Everything passed off smoothly, orderly and pleasantly.

SERIOUS FIRE—*Partial Burning of the Voshell House*—Friday morning at about 3 o'clock, the Voshell House hotel, opposite the *Transcript* office, was discovered to be on fire. The fire occurred in the fourth story, and was first discovered by Mr. W. Register, whose room was on that floor, and who was awakened by the smoke in his room. He at once gave the alarm and aroused the sleeping inmates. In a short time our citizens, in large numbers, were on the spot and went to work with a will, though the fire had made such progress that but little hope of saving the building was entertained. The roof is a flat one, covered with heavy felt, on which a preparation of pitch had been poured and while hot a heavy coat of gravel had been put on the top of that. The fire—no doubt the work of an incendiary—broke out up in the framing of the roof, immediately over an unoccupied chamber, the plastering from the ceiling of which had some time ago fallen; and thus, it is thought some combustible material was placed, then fired, and left to do its work, the incendiary accomplishing his purpose in the dead of night and securing his object without detection. The room spoken of as an unused chamber, where the light from the burning roof-timbers was first seen, was a receptacle for rubbish, and on the floor were five or six old straw mattresses, which were not burned, which would have been the case had the fire originated there. The room was evidently set on fire by burning brands falling down from the fire in the framework of the roof immediately overhead. The fire made very slow progress in the space between the ceiling of the chamber and the outside covering of plank coated with felt and gravel, constituting the roof, because air could not get access to it, the only vent being through the broken ceiling of the unused room, the door of which was closed; and that cause no doubt prevented the total destruction of the building. It was soon found that the only way to successfully fight the fire, would be by cutting holes through the roof, which was done. Water was supplied to those on the roof by means of buckets passed up ladders from the ground to the flat roof of the two-story back building, and from thence, also by ladders, to the roof of the main building. A small fountain pump was found to be very useful and effective in getting water on to burning beams and rafters which could not be reached by buckets or other means at hand After an obstinate fight of near two hours, the fire was entirely subdued. A survey of the burnt portion of the building shows the fire to have been of considerable extent—a portion of the rafters having burnt entirely in two and fell in, and over a great part of the frame work the beams are reduced to masses of charred wood barely hanging together. Almost the whole of the fourth floor is a complete wreck, and the house in great part roofless.

The house belongs to Mr. S. V. Farson, and was insured in the Peabody and National companies of Baltimore, for $11,000, and the policy expires next Monday morning.

Col. John C. Voshell, the tenant, is a heavy loser by the hasty removal of furniture and effects. He moved his goods in again shortly after the fire was extinguished.

Mr. E. C. Reiche, whose Cabinet shop is in the first story, loses in undertaking material, some 24 yards of black cloth being as yet missing.

The Voshell House was built by the present tenant, the work being commenced in the fall of 1863 and finished in the early part of the summer 1864, when the house was furnished and opened by Col. Voshell, who kept it until the latter part of that year, when he sold the house for $18,000 to its present owner. It cost about $22,000, being built of the best material, and the work also was first class. Mr. Charles Ringgold, at that time a well known builder and resident of Millington, had the work done.

ORPHANS' COURT, Tuesday, June 4.—Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson. C. T. Westcott, trustee for the real estate of Alex. Chaney, colored, dec'd, filed his bond in the penalty of $2,000, with Geo. B. Westcott and N. G. Westcott as securities, which was examined and approved by the court.

THE American people are the fastest eaters in the world, and consequently are the greatest sufferers from Dyspepsia and other digestive disorders. Keller's Vegetable Life Drops are the safest and surest remedy for Dyspepsia and Indigestion ever discovered.

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PROPOSALS
FOR
BUILDING A NEW BRIDGE.

UNDER a joint resolution of the Kent and Queen Anne's Boards of County Commissioners, passed April 25th, 1878, proposals will be received until——

TO FURNISH MATERIAL AND BUILD A BRIDGE

over Andover Stream, at Andover Mills, known as Turner's Mills, above Millington; specifications and dimensions as follows:

90 ft. length, 14 ft. width; neight 7 ft. from top M. sill to bottom of cap sills; to be built on 7 mud sills, 12x14 in. each, for foundation, supported by 21 posts eight inches square, mortised into mud sills; and 7 cap sills 8x8 to be mortised on top of posts; 30 sleepers each 16 ft. long, 6x8 in., 5 to a span; flooring plank 14 ft. long and 2 in. plank, and abutments of two inch plank. with a rail on each side of bridge 4x4 in., and also a substantial strip between rail and flooring.

Material to be good white oak, and thoroughly spiked together, and the entire work done in the most substntial manner.

Proposals will state price, and time required to finish Bridge, and if accepted the Commissioners will require security for the faithful performance of contract, to be approved by the Board.

By order,

T. W. RUSSELL, Clerk
To Co. Commissioners Kent co.

May 10, 1878—tf.

No Quinine!
Dr. Berg's German Ague Pills

Are strictly Vegetable, being entirely free from Quinine, Mercury and all other deleterious substances. They have been tested for years in private practice, and have never been known to fail to cure Fever and Ague in its worst stages. Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Headache; Foul Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Neuralgia, Liver Complaint, Nervous Debility and all diseases arising from a change of climate and impurity of the blood, greatly benefitted by their use. All I ask is a trial of these valuable Pills, and they will convince the most skeptical of their merits. Ask your Druggist for them and if he has them not, inclose 50 cents by mail to us, and they will be sent free of charge, by next mail, with full directions for use. Address,

GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.,
Sole proprietors and Manufacturers,
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Nov. 9, 1877.

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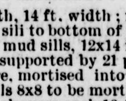
On and after *Monday, April 2d, 1878*, THE NEW IRON STEAMER



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☞ Mondays and Fridays on the trip to Baltimore, the boat goes in to Gray's Inn Creek; and returning, stops in at Gray's Inn on Tuesdays and Saturdays.

H. A. ALBERT, Sec'y.

March 29, 1878.

LIME! LIME! LIME! LIME!
Shells! Shells! Shells! Shells!
30,000 bushels of each for sale.

THE undersigned is prepared to furnish LIME and SHELLS to the citizens of Kent, Queen Anne's and Cecil counties; and will land the same on the Chester and Sassafras rivers, or any of their creeks where there is a depth of five feet of water, of the best quality and at the lowest prices.

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Chestertown, Md., Oct. 22, 1875—tf

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$66 a week in your own town. $5 Outfit free. No risk. Reader, if you want a business at which persons of either sex can make great pay all the time they work, write for particulars to H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine.

March 8, 1878—y

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SINGLE AND DOUBLE;
SHOT POUCHES, POWDER FLASKS,
GAME BAGS,
Shot, by the pound and Bag,
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Call and examine our

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Where at all times may be found a complete assortment of

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March 8, 1878—y.

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GREATEST In order to clear out our stock of very superior Gold-plated Jewelry valued at over $200,000, we will send as below, 20 Pieces, all warranted Gold-plated for **$1.00.** 1 pair Gold Stone Sleeve Buttons; 1 pair Engraved Sleeve Buttons; 1 set Pointed Studs; 1 set Amethyst Studs; 1 Wedding Ring; 1 Engraved Band Finger Ring; 1 Amethyst Stone Ring, Inlaid **BARGAIN** with Gold; 1 Elegant Ring, marked "Friendship;" 1 Amethyst Stone Scarf Pin, Inlaid with Gold; 1 Silvered Hat Pin; 1 set Ladies' Jet and Gold Pin and Drops; 1 Misses' set Jet and Gold; 1 Collar Stud; 1 set Handsome Rosebud Ear Drops; 1 Gents' Elegant Lake George Diamond Stud; 1 Cardinal Red Bead Necklace; 1 pair Ladies Amethyst Stone Ear Drops, **EVER** Inlaid with Gold; 1 Ladies' Ornamented Jet Brooch; 1 Fancy Scarf Ring and Elegant Watch Chain. Take your choice, the entire lot of **20** pieces, sent Post-paid for **$1.00** or any **8** pieces you choose for **50** cents. Now is the time to make money. These can easily be retailed at **$10.00. CLUB PREMIUM.** To any **OFFERED** one ordering 12 Lots at $1.00 each, we will present Free, an Open Face Coin Silver Watch as Premium. WATCH AND JEWELRY CIRCULAR FREE.

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Our cotemporary, the Boston *Globe*, speaks very highly of both advertiser and goods as being honorable in his dealings, and reliable in his goods, a commendation we heartily endorse.—*St. Louis Dispatch, December 7, 1876.*

The house is a thoroughly reliable one in every repect.—*Boston Globe, Oct. 25, 1876.*

His reputation for honesty, fair dealing, and liberality is unequaled by any advertiser in this city.—*N. Y. Day Book, December 16, 1876.*

Advertises more and sells cheaper than any man in New York.—*Herald, April 13, 1877.*

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30 Mixed cards, Snowflake, Damask, &c., no 2 alike with name, 10cts. J. NINKLER & Co., Nassau, N. Y.

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April 19, 1878.—1y.

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